

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 109

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A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Robert W. "Bob" Hensley upon being named Department Commander of the American Legion for the Department of Tennessee.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of the Volunteer State have, throughout the years, willingly forsaken the comforts and securities of inaction by taking up arms against the enemies of this great nation, risking their lives and leaving their loved ones behind in order to honorably safeguard the freedoms and liberties guaranteed to all citizens of these United States and vanquishing those who threaten our way of life; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Robert W. "Bob" Hensley, who was recently named Department Commander of the American Legion for the Department of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, throughout his military career, Mr. Hensley served with acumen and alacrity, earning the respect, loyalty, and admiration of his men, officers, and commanders for his dedicated and esteemed military record; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hensley has shown individual courage and gallantry throughout his career, ever willing to sacrifice his personal safety and concerns for the enduring freedom of his country and the preservation of the ideals that forged this great nation; and

WHEREAS, Bob Hensley epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud his dedication to the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Robert W. "Bob" Hensley upon being named Department Commander of the American Legion for the Department of Tennessee, applaud his meritorious service to our honorable military veterans, and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.